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THE WEATHER TO-DAY-Fair.

PRICE TWO CENTS.

OFFERS \$140,000 ANNUAL RENTAL FOR GAS PLANT

Baltimore Company Is Willing to Pay \$4,200,-000 for 30-Year Lease.

FURNISH GAS AT 75 AND 80 CENTS

Proposal of Southern Gas and Electric Corporation Goes to Council, and Must Be Approved by People-Plan Meets With Decided Opposition.

The competitive gas situation took a new and unexpected turn yester lay with the filing of a communication by the Southern Gas and Electric Corporation to the Council and Administrative Board offering to lease the City Gas Works at an annual rental of \$140,000 plus 5 per cent of the gross

receipts.
The Southern Gas and Electric Corporation, of Baltimore, is the holding company for the Henrico County Gas Company, which now supplies Ginter Park, Highland Park, Barton Heights and other northern suburbs. In addi-tion to the local plant, the Baltimore company controls also the gas ultili-ties in Suffolk, Sumter, S. C., and Blue-field, W. Va. It is capitalized at \$2,-

Besides the interests just enumerated, the Baltimore company has recently become interested in the pending application of the Manchester Light, Heat and Power Company for a thirty-year extension of its franchise to manufacture and supply gas on the Southside.

Unexpected Turn.
A subcommittee of the Committee on cets, composed of Councilman ore, chairman; Councilman Vonder-Moore, chairman; Councilman voters lehr and Alderman Gunst, has for some time had under consideration the ap-plication of the Manchester Light, Heat and Power Company for a thirty-year extension of franchise, and met at year extension of franchise, and met at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon to hear a statement from the company's counsel. Instead of addressing himself to the franchise application, Attorney A. H. Sands, for the company, made the formal request that all applications of his company be held in abeyance until the Council passes upon the offer of the Baltimore company to lease the whole city, plant.

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The committee held that it had no authority to enter approximately to enter approximately the control of th

Superintendent Knowles. "Our output is increasing by hundreds of thousands

Knowles declined to go further into the matter at this time, but indi-cated that if the proposal should reach the Council he would have a further the Council he would have a further statement to make. He was not seriously impressed with the probability of the city's parting with its valuable with a police officer.

gas property for even a term of years.

Must Go Before People.

Section 19 of the City Charter provides "that there shall be no lease or sale of the City Gas, Water, or Electric Works unless the proposition shall first be submitted to the voters of the city

the offer. The company realized, he said, that duplication of plants involves an investment that must be

taken care of by the public, and is, therefore, unsound economically.

In the belief that the city would

Should the leasing of the property be effected, said Mr. Sands, the company would retain in its employ all the present officers and employes of the Gas Works. It would also take

all existing contracts made by Time to Consider Change. "Richmond has reached her cross-roads on the gas situation," said Mr.

(Continued On Third Page.)

London, September 25 .- One of the London, September 25.—One of the quietest and most unostentatious weddings that has taken place in St. George's, Hancver Square, in many a day was celebrated yesterday, when Miss May VanAlen, daughter of James J. VanAlen, of New York and Newport, and granddaughter of the late Mrs. William Astor, became the wife of Griswold A. Thompson, a New York bond broker. The ceremony was perbond broker. The ceremony was per-

bond broker. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Norman Thicknesse, rector of St. George's.

The affair had been arranged so quietly that only ton persons were present. The license had been obtained three days ago by Mrs. Ogilvy Haig, an aunt of the bride, who made all the arrangements and notified only a few of the most intimate friends of the family.

The bride appeared in a blue traveling dress, and immediately after the ceremony the couple started away on a motor tour of England.

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The bride's father was not present, being away on a hunting trip in German East Africa.

Mrs. Thompson's mother, now de-ceased, was Miss Emily Astor. She was the elder sister of Colonel John Jacob Astor, who died on the Titanic. So yesterday's bride is the granddaugh-ter of the late Mrs. Astor, who was

for many years the undisputed social leader of New York.

Mrs. Thompson has an income of \$75,000 and owns a residence at No. 125 East Sixty-ninth Street, New York. She also owns her own cottage at New-She has been chatelaine of Rushton Hall, the splendid London residence of her father, who is immensely wealthy. Mr. VanAlen recently an-

nounced that he would resume his resi-dence in the United States.

Many had sought Miss VanAlen's hand in marriage, and there was a rumor that one suitor committed sui-cide because she rejected him.

DISAGREE ON COTTON

Nashington, September 25.—After finishing up all but half a dozen of the points of difference between the Senate and House, the tariff bill conferees ran into another deadlock to-day and adjourned to-night with the conference report still incomplete. Three important matters still are at Issue. The tariff rates on cotton yarns and cotton cloths and on lead zinc ores, and the dates when free raw wool and changes in the woolen goods tariff shall become effective.

hanges in the woolen goods that ecome effective.

Members of the conference committee could not predict to-night how soon a greenent could be reached. With he aid of experts, they spent the afternoon going over the cotton schedules and calculating the effect on the woolen industry of the proposed

ADVISERS DISAGREE

The committee held that it had no authority to enter upon the consideration of the leasing proposal, and upon a motion offered by Councilman Vonderlehr, laid the pending application on the table and adjourned, to meet again at the call of the chair.

Plan Gets Little Approval.

Without exception, Councilmen who were interviewed yesterday with regard to the Baltimore company's offer to lease the Gas Works, expressed unqualified disapproval of the plan. The proposal is the fifth or sixth of its kind since the city has owned its Gas Works. One Councilman said that he would under no circumstances vote to sell or lease the plant, which was one of the city's chief assets as a money maker and as a basis for credit.

"The city could make no greater mistake, in my opinion, than to lease the Gas Works for thirty years," said the Gas Works for thirty years," said the Gas Works for thirty years," said the Gas Works for thirty years, said superintendent Knowles. "Our output is increasing by hundreds of thousands

AUVISERS DISAURE:

Governor Felker, However, Is Lawyer, and theas on Thaw.

Concord, N. H., September 25.—A division of opinion is said to exist among Governor Felker's advisers as to the control of the chair.

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decision.

It is believed here that the Governor will grant the request made by Thaw's counsel to-day that they be allowed until October 6 to file addi-

CHAIR OR FREEDOM

Works unless the proposition shall first be submitted to the voters of the city of Richmond at some regular election and receive a majority of all votes cast at such election."

Assistant City Attorney George Wayne Anderson, when asked as to the machinery of submission, said that the prospective lease would have to be submitted in the form of a joint resolution or ordinance to the Council, and by it passed, with the recommendation that the Judge of the Hustings Court order a special election for the purpose of ascertaining the public will.

Attorney Sands, representing both the Manchester and Baltimore companies, said that in his opinion the city chartor did not clearly define the course to be taken, and that he will ask that the matter be submitted to the City Attorney for a ruling as to the approved procedure.

With the permission of the committee, Mr Sands read to it the offer of the Southern Gas and Electric Corporation, prefacing it with a statement of the considerations that led it to make the offer. The company realized, that duplication of plants in-New York, September 25.—A revival of the report that Hans Schmidt, now under arrest for the murder of Anna

TO INTERVIEW COLONEL

Delegation Will Demand H& Intentions as to Nomination.

reserve to it its rights as lessor, and at the same time make possible the supplying of gas at a cheaper rate than that now charged, the company, said Mr. Sands, was moved to offer to lease the city's holdings, committing itself to supply gas at 80 cents for the next ten years, and at 75 cents for the twenty years succeeding. The city price is 90 cents.

Should the least tent would at lessor, and grands and supplying of Michigan, and Falconer, of Michigan, and Falconer, in Their instructions are to the supplying of the supplyin

of Washington.

Their instructions are to march up Sagamore Hill, find out if the Colonel is really filtring with the Republicans and report back at once.

Newton Is Promoted.

Washington, September 25.—Byron Rufus Newton, of New York, now private secretary to Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo, was to-day selected to be Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, succeeding Sherman Allen. Newton served as private secretary to President Awilson throughout the presidential campaign. dential campaign.

Most Sought of American Heirenses Weds Very Quietty in London. TO BE FILLED BY CITY COMMITTEE

Will Name Democratic Aroused by Recent Says He Is Unable to Nominee, Whose Election Is Certain.

GOVERNOR TO ISSUE STATES NOW HAVE

Will Order It for November 4, as Attorney-General Sees No Legal Objection to Same Date as General Election. To Use Special Ballot Boxes.

On being advised by the Attorney-General that there was no objection ber 4. A similar writ will be issued for general election for the First Senatorial District, composed of Washington and Smyth Countles and the city of Bristol to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Scnator D. C. Cummings.

Lieutenant-Governor Ellyson recent-ly notified the Governor of these two vacancies, and an opinion was rendered vacancies, and an opinion was rendered yesterday by Assistant Attorney-General R. B. Davis in response to the Governor's request. Special ballots and separate ballot boxes will be used, and the returns will be reported separately, as was done some time ago, when the people of the State voted on constitutional amendments. tional amendments.

Committee Will Nominate.

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The short time elapsing before November 4 practically puts a Democratic primary for selection of a party nominee out of the question. The two options before the City Democratic Committee are for the committee to nominate, for which it has ample authority under the party law, and precedent in the case of the State committee nominating Colonel B. O. James, or to have no party nomination and allow all candidates to enter the general election, as was done when James it. Pace was elected Treasurer of Richmond.

It may as well be conceded at once that the committee has no intention of failing. It may as well be conceded at once that the committee has no intention that the committee has no intention of failing to exercise powers clearly vested in it, and that a nomination of a Democratic candidate will be made by the committee early next week.

Major Miles M. Martin. Later it was reported that James E. Cannon or Samuel L. Kelley or President R. Lee Peters, of the Common Council, would be acceptable to many members of the committee. A. Blerne Blair is frequently mentioned, and would certainly be a candidate in the event of a primary. General Charles J. Anderson, whose name had been mentioned in many quarters as an available man, said last night: "I am very grateful for the will." the willing kindness of so many

President Wilson Caunot See Way Clear to Free Postage.

Washington, September 25.—Santa Claus sent Miss Olive May Wilson, aged seventeen, and Miss Anna V. Evans, two pretty Pennsylvania girls to call on President Wilson to-day and ask that the President indorse the plan of allowing all toys sent through the mail for poor children at Christmas time be exempt from postage.

Miss Wilson, treasurer of the Santa Claus mail, of Jenkintown, Pa., demurely explained the work of her organization to President Wilson, and asked him for a letter of indorsement.

The President explained to Santa Claus's pretty helpers that he could not give a letter of indorsement to one charitable organization without being called upon later to indorse many others. He promised to take the matter of using his influence to further the project of exemption of postage under consideration.

GOMPERS URGES ACTION

Wants Favorable Consideration to Leg-Islation Now Pending.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Washington, September 25.—The
speedy enactment of labor legislation
row pending in five bills before Con-gress was urged upon President Wil-son to-day by Samuel Gompers, presi-dent of the American Federation of Labor, and the executive council of that origanization.

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"We urged the President to give his favorable consideration to various matters of labor legislation now pending," said Mr. Gompers, after a conference at the White House. "Among the bills which we want enacted into law are measures providing for the protection of American seamen, a bill to limit reasonably the issuance of injunctions against labor organizations, a bill for uniform wages for women workers, and a bill to increase the appropriation to the Department of Labor, so that that department may demonstrate its efficiency."

"WHINING CADETS"

Secretary of War Garrison So Alludes
to Objectors to Punishment,
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Washington, September 25.—"Whining cadets' was Secretary of War Garrison's description to-day of the eighteen West Pointers recently ordered
punished for hazing.
"The boys in question were each
guilty," said Secretary Garrison. "The
punishment was certainly not excessive, whether it was enough might be
subject to some question."

CONGRESS TO ACT, PROVIDING MEANS FOR REGULATION

Wreck, to Give Power to Commission.

WRIT OF ELECTION POWER TO INDICT

Attorney - General McReynolds Disappointment Keen, Because Suggests That Millionaire Directors Be Prosecuted for Manslaughter-Inventors Explain Their Safety Devices.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Washington, September 25 .- The Inin law to having the special senatorial terstate Commerce Commission has won vices on railroads and to regulate the

Aroused by the recent wreck on the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, and the report of the com-mission stating that it is powerless to enforce its recommendations, members

Congressman of Congress decided to-day to clothe There were two other important de-

velopments to-day in connection with the New Haven system. Suggests States Prosecute.

Attorney-General McReynolds sug-gested that the millionaire directors of the railroad be prosecuted for manof the railroad be prosecuted for man-slaughter. He expressed doubt as to the possibility of action by the gov-ernment on the recent disasters, but added, "This appears to involve a ques-tion of manslaughter, and I should think that action might be looked for from the State authorities"

from the State authorities."

The Attorney-General also made it known that the Department of Justice has had special legal experts investi-gating the New Haven Railroad system with a view to possible prosecu-tions under the Sherman antitrust act. This investigation has had nothing to do with the recent wrecks on the rail-road, but has dealt with the monopoly features of the railroad and its alleged overinflation of capital stock.

overinflation of capital stock.

Time for Railronds to Act.

Chairman Adamson, of the House Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, said to-day that the railroads had been given a number of years without mandatory legislation in which to improve their sections. which to improve their equipment, to strengthen their roadbeds, to substitute

opening of the regular session in December.

The railroad safety devices present ed to the committee included one to the Senate, but am not, and cannot, be a candidate."

No call has as yet been issued for a meeting of the city committee, though it is expected that the matter of a nomination will be disposed of within the next few days.

SANTA CLAUS DISAPPOINTED

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LORD MAYOR IS AMERICAN

Question of His Right to Vote Is Challenged in Cork.

Dublin, September 25.—Objection to the vote of Lord Mayor O'Shea, who is an American citizen, was raised at the parliamentary revision session in Cork to-day. The Independent Nationalists declared that Mr. O'Shea, being an alien, he had no right to vote at a British had no right to vote at a British The question is to be submitted to legal experts for decision.

Bertha's Advice

"Why don't you do as I have often told you, and try a Want Ad?" said Bertha to her friend, Ethel, who had run over to tell her, in a torrent of discontent, how hard she had been trying to get a laundress for the past three weeks, and that all her seeking had been in vain.

laundress, as you know, and I got her through The Times-Dispatch Want Ads," replied Ethel. "I can't see why you will not

"I am never without a good

profit by my experience and take my advice and run a Want Ad for a laundress. It'll only cost a few cents, and your trouble will vanish overnight." Ethel took her friend's advice

Ethel's experience can be yours if you'll only give the Want Ads a fair trial.

Call Up The Times-Dispatch

Monroe 1

WILSON WRITES PETERS HE CAN'T VISIT THE FAIR

Leave Official Desk in Washington.

REFUSAL BRINGS GENERAL REGRET

Reports of Past Few Days Had Given Practical Assurance That President Had Decided to Accept Invitation.

Although practical assurance was given after a conference at the White House with Senator Swanson on Wedprimary for this district to fill the va-cancy caused by the resignation of E. C. Folkes on the date of the November general election, Governor Mann said to come. The news came as a decided surprise to the Virginia members in Congress who had discussed the trip with the President and had drawn from

Congressman Montague was informed of the President's decision when he called at the White House yesterday to discuss with him the matter of fixing discuss with him the matter of fixing the exact date for his visit. President Wilson expressed his deep regrets, and gave Mr. Montague a letter, addressed to President Peters, of the Common Council, who headed the committee that extended the city's formal invitation. Mr. Montague dispatched the letter by special delivery, accompanying it with a note expressing his regret at the failure of the plan to secure the Presi-dent's attendance.

The President's Letter.

The President's letter, which was re-ceived last night, follows: The White House,

Washington, September 25.

Hon, R. L. Peters, Richmond, Va.:
My Dear Mr. Peters,—I have been thinking a great deal about the invitation conveyed to me so kindly by the committee of which you are chairman to visit the city of Richmond on the occasion of the State Fair, because I wanted most sincerely to accept that invitation if it were possible for me to do so consistently with my public

present to leave my desk in Washington. I am promising myself that at some early occasion in the future I

Well-Known Greenshoro Merchant Probable Victim of Burglars. Probable Victim of Burglars.

Greensboro, N. C., September 25.—J. H. Taylor, fifty years of age, a well-known merchant of this place, was found dead in his store this morning with two builet wounds in his body. The theory of the police is that the merchant surprised a burglar or burglars in the store some time last night, and that scuffle ensued, when he was killed with his own weapon. Taylor, who lived a short distance from his place of business, had been sleeping in a small room at the store since it was burglarized several weeks ago, and is known to have slept with a pistol understanding the electric lights were burning; there were indications that a struggle had taken place, while the rear door of the store had been forced from the rear. Taylor was found dead or the floor in his night clothes, with

morning all the electric lights were compurning; there were indications that a struggle had taken place, while the lear door of the store had been forced or the floor in his night clothes, with a bullet wound in the breast and one in the back. His pistol could not be found. The police say they have no mar

"SEA-GOING HACK"

Secretary of Navy's Advertisement Brings Many Offers of Broughams. Washington, September 25.—Secretary Daniels probably fill not know there were so many second-hand vehicles in the world when he decided recently to advertise for a brougham which had seen its best days, his idea being to help in a small way the theory of government, is busy trying to figure out which of the twenty-three out which of the department the most sum of \$55, while another was said to be worth \$800.

What seemed to some of the officials of the department the most appropriate conveyance was described as a "fine sea-going lack." What could be better they asked, for the head of the United States Navy.

FXTENDS COURSE

PASSENGERS PROTEST

Senator Clark and Others Are Left Bething by the Olympic. Schild by the Olympic. Schild by the Olympic. Schild by the Olympic salled from Queenstown to-day without taking on board 200 passengers and 1,500 from Queenstown to-day without taking on board 200 passengers and 1,500 from Queenstown to-day without taking on board 200 passengers and 1,500 from Queenstown to-day without taking on board 200 passengers and 1,500 from Queenstown to-day without taking on board 200 passengers and 1,500 from Queenstown to-day without taking on board 200 passengers and 1,500 from Queenstown to-day without taking on board 200 passengers and 1,500 from Queenstown to-day without taking on board 200 passengers and 1,500 from Queenstown to-day without taking on board 200 passengers and 1,500 from Queenstown to-day without taking on board 200 passengers and 1,500 from Queenstown to-day without taking on board 200 passengers and 1,500 from Queenstown to-day without taking on

AROUSES RACIAL FEELING

Proposal to Move Baltimore Negro College Brings Segregation Ordinance.

Baltimore, Md., September 25.—Bitter racial feeling has been aroused in several of the fashionable northern subrated by the fashionable of the report of intention of trustees of Morgan College, a negro school in Northwest Baltimore, to move the school to some one of these communities, where property

timore, to move the school to some one of these communities, where property has been offered to them. Meetings of suburban residents have been held, at which strongly worded resolutions of protest have been adopted.

Almost every community along the entire northern border of the city is being enlisted in the movement to keep out the negro college, and a call was sent out to-day for a mass-meeting at Mount Washington Monday night "to formulate and register a determined protest against the location of Morgan College at Mount Washington."

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The agitation is deprecated by members of the executive committee of Morgan College. Chairman Charles H. Evans declared the trustees are "fully alive to the fact that negro colleges and schools are undesirable in certain localities," and, knowing this, he said they were not going to force themselves on people who feel that their property will be damaged.

Morgan College was founded in 1867, and is supported by contributions from the Methodist Episcopal Church. It has a branch at Lynchburg, Va. has a branch at Lynchburg, Va.

A race segregation ordinance was
passed by the City Council late to-

The measure has the following title:
"An ordinance to prevent conflict
and ill-feeling between the white and
colored races in Baltimore city, and to
preserve the public peace and promote the general welfare by making rea-sonable provisions requiring the use of separate blocks for residences by white and colored people respectively."

ARTISTIC MR. TAFT

Passes on Memorial and Then Gets Favor for Adopted Home Town. Washington, September 25.—Former President Taft gave himself over to the

Washington, September 25.—Former President Taft gave himself over to the artistic to-day in the performance of his first public service since he left the White House.

With his fellow-members of the Lincoln Memorial Commission, Mr. Taft devoted virtually the entire day to pouring over classic designs and camples of stone for the erection of a lastic, tribute to the martyred President. After opening bids for the \$2,000,000 memorial, the commission adjourned until to-morrow, when an award probably will be made.

With enthusiastic allegiance to his newly-found home—New Haven—the former President earlier in the day had persuaded Secretary McAdoo to construct the proposed \$450,000 postofice in the Connecticut city of marole in preference to granite. The appearance of the former Republican President at the Treasury Building in the control of Democracy, was a unique spectacle. Only a little longer than yesterday he could have directed the selection; to-day, with only the privileges of private life, he pleaded for a city's favor, and, wearing his characteristic smile, confessed the graciousress of the Democrats.

The day was gone before Mr. Taft had an opportunity to call on President Wilson, as he had planned. He probably will pay his respects to-morrow.

"HARMONIOUS MANAGEMENT"

by the committee early next week. The one objection to committee nomination—the fear of independent candidates in the event that the committee's choice does not reflect the wishes of the community—is not regarded seriously, as all of the names mentioned are of men well known in the community, each of whom would be able to mixer a strong following against any independent who might offer.

Many Names Mentioned.

Early vesterday it was re-ly pecked that the committee's choice does not reflect the wishes of the community. The committee now believes, "said adamson, "that it may be proper to muster a strong following against any independent who might offer.

Many Names Mentioned.

Early vesterday it was re-ly pecked that the committee's choice of the communities and improvements to their roadbeds, to substitute strengthen their roadbeds, to substitute the real traveling public. It may be proper to tell the protection of the traveling public. The protection of the traveling public. The protection of the traveling public. The protection of the traveling public in. I am promising myself that at the great pleasure of visiting visit may law the great pleasure of visiting visit may law the great pleasure of visit may law the great pleasure of visit may law th

like to discuss the currency question.
Senator Swanson made several trips to the White House in the interest of the city's invitation, and shared with the Virginia delegation in the general regret. To the city, as well as to the thousands who had hoped to see the President at the fair, the announcement carries disappointment. The only ray of hope is contained in the President's assurance that he will take an early opportunity to visit Virginia.

FOUND DEAD IN HIS STORE

Well-Known Greensboro Merchant Probable Victim of Burglars.

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Have \$50, and other cash contributors made up the remainder.

Mrs. Sulzer personal y \$100 in cash and the gave Sulzer personally \$100 in cash and the fence of the gas company, and James F. Meagher, of Chicago, and Mark M. Potter for \$200, Mrs. distributors was elected to the presidency. Mr. Insull was chosen as chairman of the board of directors.

The Commonwealth-Edison Company was delivered. Conlon was one of a large fleet of members of the Mantal announced an increase in its capitalization from \$40,000,000.

Well-Known Greensboro Merchant Probable Victim of Burglars.

Schoolmaster Daniels Issues Orders Concerning Instruction Aboard Ship. Washington, September 25.—Secretary Daniels has ordered the elementary academic course at naval training stations extended from three to four months, to give apprentices more thorough training. He will extend the course to six months wherever practicable for apprentices, who are backward in their studies, and to help those who have chosen special technical work.

Special evening instruction is given for those who fall behind and for those desirous of pushing ahead rapidly. On completing course, each man must pass an examination.

WINS BEST-LUUKING GIKL

Son of English Baronet is Miss Valle will saturable.

St. Louis, September 25.—Henry Clover, an attorney, to-day obtained a marriage license for James Nelson Hope, of London, England, and Mary Valle. Nelson's age was given as twenty valle. Nelson's age was given as twenty of the course of the c

SULZER OFFERED TO RETURN CASH TO JACOB SCHIFF

Banker Recalled, Makes Admission Damaging to Governor.

BREWERS GIVE TO FUND GENEROUSLY

Candidate Asked That Their Checks Be Cashed Before Being Brought to Him-Liquor Dealers Also Contribute, and Fleet From Manhattan Club as Well.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Albany, N. Y., September 25 .- "Mr. Frankenstein told me that if I would accept, Governor Sulzer would be gladto return my \$2,500 contribution"-Jacob H. Schiff.

"Governor Sulzer asked me if I got any more checks to be kind enough to have them cashed"-Charles Dersch, who helped collect \$1,400 for Sulzer from the brewers.

The foregoing statements were the most striking portions of the flood of adverse testimony which poured in on Governor Sulzer to-day, when Presiding Judge Cullen opened the gates by a decision that the evidence need not be confined solely to sets charged in the confined solely to acts charged in the articles of impeachment. The decision was sustained by a unanimous vote

Points Scored Against Sulzer.

Here are the chief points scored against the Governor in the veritable war of extermination begun against

war of extermination begun against him following the court ruling:

By Mr. Schiff, recalled to the stand—
That Frankenstein, Sulzer's former law partner, came to him after the Schiff check was made public and offered to make restitution in the name of the Governor. That the Governor a few weeks ago invited Mr. Schiff to come to Albany and talk with him and Mrs Sulzer, who was ill. Mr. Schiff re-Sulzer, who was ill. Mr. Schiff re-fused. Incidentally Mr. Schiff admitted having given \$1,000 to the Straus cam-paign before he knew that Sulzer would

be nominated.

By Charles Dersch and former Senator-Charles A. Stadler—That they had collected \$1.400 from breweries and allied interests for Sulzer, and Sulzer had asked them to get the cash on the checks collected. Dersch at first insisted that he had given the money he brought in on one occasion to Mrs. Sulzer, but when tripped up by Senator Wagner, admitted that the Governor was present. Stadler said Sulzer also was present. Stadler said Sulzer also asked him before the Syracuse conven-

tion to "go to Fourteenth Street and intercede for him." The checks identified by the two The checks identified by the two witnesses were as follows:
Peter Doelger, \$250; W. J. Elias, \$100;
George C. Hawley, of Albany, \$250;
August Luchow, \$200; William and
Peter Hoffman, \$250. Total, \$1,050.
Morris Tekutsky, former president merely of the Liquor Dealers'

gave \$50, and other cash contributors

ally.

"While we anticipated somewhat this hold-up of imports, we have literally been swamped with the imports which are waiting for the tariff law to go into effect before being put on the market. There is more than \$5,000,000 worth of stuff now in the bonded houses, and we hear that more is to come within the next two weeks."

deal to do with Sulzer's investments.

Mr. Schiff is Recalled.

Apparently dissatisfied with Mr. Kresel's examination of Mr. Schiff yesterday, the attorneys for the managers last night asked the banker to return noon mildly surprised, but ready to answer whatever questions were to be

witness.
"Did Sulzer state to you why he wanted the check made to Sarecky?
"He did not," said Mr. Schiff,
"Dld you ask him why?"

"Had you ever given Mr. Sulzer "Had you ever given Mr. Suizer, checks before?"
"Not that I can recollect,"
"This was after he was nominated for Governor?"

"It was about the 16th of October."

"Was it given to him for the reason that he was a candidate for Governor?"

demanded the lawyer.
"I suppose if he had not been a candidate for Governor that such discus-